

Health Care Facility Staff Orientation

Office of the
State Fire Marshal

<http://www.wsp.wa.gov/fire/firemars.htm>



Publications available to assist with fire and life safety orientation for health care staff.

Assisted Living Facility Emergency Plan of Action Guide, The Idea Bank
www.theideabank.com

Board and Care Facility Evacuation Guide
Publication United States Fire Administration, (301) 447-1358

Business Under Fire
A kit to motivate employees in workplace fire safety. Factory Mutual Engineering Corporation
(617) 762-4300, ext 2152

Electrical Safety for Health Care
An 11 minute video covering hazards of electricity to staff and patients. Global network for
Safety Training. SafetyNet, 1-800-686-7714

Evacuation of Health Care Facilities, Fire Safety in Health Care Facilities
A video and brochure covering fire safety procedures to prevent fires and to respond effectively
when fire strikes. National Fire Protection Association, 1-800-344-3555; www.nfpa.org

Let's Retire Fire—for Older Americans—Includes messages about smoking materials
United States Fire Administration, (301) 447-1358.

Medical Facilities Emergency Preparedness
A pamphlet designed to photo copy for distribution. Covers what to do when you see smoke or
fire in a patient area and different types of emergency carries. Programs, Inc. 1-800-223-5745

Patient Care Fire Safety
A Basic fire safety program on CD-ROM prepares employees to react properly in a fire
emergency. Netstuff, 1-800-472-0757

Safety Orientation for Housekeeping/Maintenance Personnel in Health Care Facilities
General safety training video for new employees. Includes electrical safety, fire prevention and
safe handling of gas and chemicals. Safety Net, 1-800-686-7714

Safety Orientation for Nurses
General Safety training video for new employees includes electrical safety, fire prevention and
safe handling of gas and chemicals. Safety Net, 1-800-686-7714

The Rehearsal
A videotape for nursing homes and hospitals to teach staff to be prepared in the event of a
disaster, includes evacuations. Fire Prevention Through Films, (617) 965-4444